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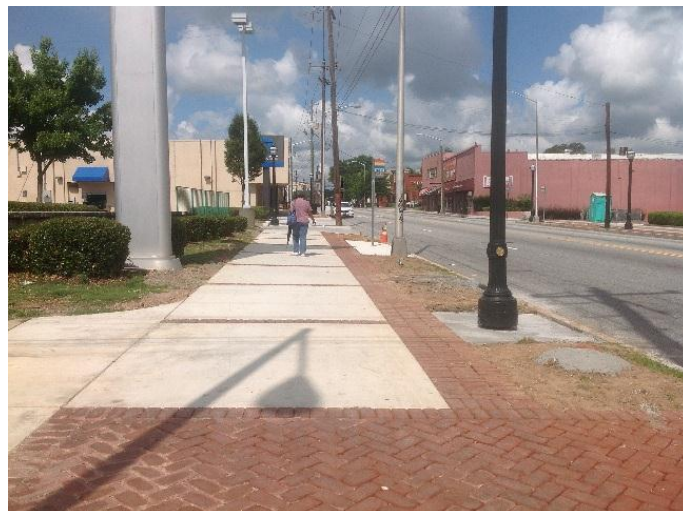
Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project



**City of Atlanta
Department of Public Works**

Richard Mendoza, Commissioner

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Project: Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project
Project ID#: 0004461 CD: 4 NPU: T Contractor: Cotangent Technical Services, LLC

Description: The Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project is a pedestrian improvement project along Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard from Lee Street to Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard. Improvements include the installation of sidewalk installations with paver accents, historic sidewalk panels, uniform street name signage, upgraded signal system with LED signal heads, restriping of intersections and existing crosswalks, street furniture and landscaping. This project will also include a gateway feature located at the intersection of Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard and Lee Street, as well as, at the intersection of Ralph David Abernathy and Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard.

The Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard Streetscape Improvement Project is coordinated in conjunction with the Joseph E. Lower Streetscape Improvement Project (PI # 004463).

Phase: Construction

Schedule Status: On schedule

Construction Start Date: September 2013

Funding Sources: Federal LCI (Livable Community Initiative) & Local City of Atlanta Funding

Project Status: This project is substantially complete. Construction is scheduled for completion during September 2014.

- The installation of the clock towers and seat walls at the intersections of Ralph David Abernathy Boulevard and Joseph E. Lowery Boulevard, as well as, Lee Street is currently underway.
- Landscaping is scheduled to be installed during the beginning of the fall planting season (October 2014).
- DPW is in conversations with the Georgia Department of Transportation (GDOT) regarding the reinstallation of the mid-block crossings.

The Department of Public Works, in an ongoing effort to ensure that the community remains aware of progress being made with this project, will continue to keep the community informed through regular updates.

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